

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Scott R. Zearbaugh	:	
	:	Art Unit:
Serial No.:	:	
	:	Examiner:
Filed: September 29, 2003	:	
	:	
For: SINGLE PIECE MACHINED STRAP CLAMP	:	

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is for a divisional application of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/410,240, filed September 30, 1999. Please enter the following amendment prior to examination of this application.

IN THE TITLE

Please delete the title and insert therefor --METHODS FOR SECURING A TUBE TO AN ENGINE HOUSING --.